

Assistance to the State Governments for implementation of a scheme for control of shifting cultivation.

(b) The amount of Central Assistance released to different states during the last three years is as under:

| <i>States</i> | <i>Funds released (Rupees in lakhs)</i> | | |
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| | <i>1988-89</i> | <i>1989-90</i> | <i>1990-91</i> |
| Andhra Pradesh | 55.00 | 105.00 | 27.50 |
| Arunachal Pradesh | 67.75 | 106.50 | 200.00 |
| Assam | 52.00 | 145.00 | 127.50 |
| Manipur | 175.00 | 180.00 | 150.00 |
| Meghalaya | 130.00 | 150.00 | 180.00 |
| Mizoram | 178.00 | 250.00 | 255.00 |
| Nagaland | 290.00 | 243.00 | 350.00 |
| Orissa | 249.00 | 170.00 | 100.00 |
| Tripura | 105.00 | 150.00 | 150.00 |
| TOTAL | 1301.75 | 1500.00 | 1540.00 |

Sewerage System in East-Delhi

1648. SHRI B. L. SHARMA 'PREM': Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the underground sewers laid in East Delhi areas are not operational due to non functioning of sewerage disposal plant; and

(b) if so, the action taken or proposed by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) No, Sir. However the Delhi Water Supply and Sewage Disposal Undertaking has informed that in Trans-Yamuna area sewerage system is functional in 16 unauthorised/regularised colonies. The 10 MGD Sewerage Treatment Plant at Kondli in East Delhi is already functioning and an additional 25 MGD Sewerage Treatment Plant is under construction.

Clearance to Industrial Power Projects in Kerala

1649. SHRI V. S. VIJAYA-RAGHAVAN:

PROF. K. V. THOMAS:

SHRI KODIKKUNIL SURESH:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of industrial and power projects in Kerala pending for want of environmental clearance; and

(b) the steps being taken for their expeditious clearance?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) Only two projects namely; Expansion of Petroleum Refinery of Cochin Refineries Ltd. and Kayamkulam Super Thermal Power Project of National Thermal Power Corporation await environmental clearance.